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In re application of:
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Art Unit: 3623
Examiner: William V. Saindon

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Small entity status has been claimed. See 37 CFR § 1.27.
☐ A certified copy of ___ Patent Application No. __ filed ___ from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 is enclosed.
☒ No additional fee is required.

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TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	18	-	18	**	0	LG=$50 SM=$25	$[FEE]	$ 0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE	3	-	3	***	0	LG=$200 SM=$100	$[FEE]	$ 0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS						LARGE ENTITY FEE = $360 SMALL ENTITY FEE = $180		$ [FEE]
ADDITIONAL SIZE FEE (IF ANY) (TOTAL PAGES OF SPEC AND DRAWINGS TOGETHER)					$250 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL 50 SHEETS			$ [FEE]
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☐ Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims
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